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Under the Paperwork Reduction A Docket Number (Optional) PRE-APPEAL BRIEF REQUEST FOR REVIEW SON-2024 **Application Number** Filed February 1, 2001 09/774.682-Conf. #3648 First Named Inventor Motoshi ASANO et al. Art Unit Examiner F. Poinvil 3628 Applicant requests review of the final rejection in the above-identified application. No amendments are being filed with this request. This request is being filed with a notice of appeal. The review is requested for the reason(s) stated on the attached sheet(s). Note: No more than five (5) pages may be provided. I am the applicant /inventor. Signature assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96) Ronald P. Kananen Typed or printed name x attorney or agent of record. 24,104 Registration number (202) 955-3750 Telephone number attorney or agent acting under 37 CFR 1.34. October 19, 2006 Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34. Date NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below*. *Total of forms are submitted.